AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 5, line 10, with the following rewritten paragraph:

If the charging system is invoked due to usage via a mobile phone 2' with GPRS capabilities, a GSN 10 will directly invoke the charging system 1 by its co-located service switching function (SSF) 11 via the SCP 8. If invoked due to usage of a service at a content server (CS) 12 connected to the Internet 13 accessed from via a data terminal 14 through a network access server (NAS) 15, the content server (CS) 12 can directly access the charging system 1 via a TCP/IP network, such as the Internet 13. Access to an application server via a mobile phone will operate in the same way as when accessing from the data terminal 14, wherein the GSN 10 is operating as the NAS 15.

Please replace the paragraph beginning at page 11, line 22, with the following rewritten paragraph:

In one alternative embodiment no notification <u>requests or</u> triggers are defined in the tariff structure. Instead all conditions fulfilled during traversal are output as a log, which can be processed in a subsequent step by a separate process to analyse the performed rating and produce a corresponding notification.

Please replace the abstract from the International Application with the following rewritten abstract, a clean version is attached hereto on a separate sheet.

A method and system for generating rating notification to a user in a communications system, wherein a tariff structure is traversed (404), and during the traversing, one or more notification triggers requests are detected for intermediate conditions (402). One or more notifications resulting from the one or more notifications notification requests are sent to the user (404, 407).